

OFFICE OF GEO. H. CORFIELD,  
131 PEARL STREET,

New York, Nov 4 1891

Major Genl. O. O. Howard,  
My Dear Bro.

I am doing this,  
first - because it is the proper  
thing to do, and next because  
I can't help it.

I want to thank you again  
for the treat of yesterday.

The Holy Spirit used you beyond  
your knowledge as also beyond  
my brightest anticipations, and  
they were built pretty high.

Every sentence weighed a ton.

It's the forty six year old history  
repeating itself in the power  
behind the agent.

The universal verdict among  
our people was one of deep

gratification and helpful encouragement, as the result of your address.

They were a company of good listeners, and they took their words home filled.

True words are not flattery of the cheap order, but simply a personal and official expression of our love for you, and appreciation of your relation to the Sunday School army of — everywhere. God bless you, and help you to bless others.

Faithfully yours.

Geo. H. Corfield.

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Old Howard  
Fair Isla  
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my dear Father:

I send you here -  
with my check no. 155 -  
for \$25. Twenty five dollars.  
The balance is paid  
of my subscription to  
Camp Street Church  
as agreed -

Please return me also  
the same that I may  
know you get it safely.  
Hildegard is better but  
not well. She cannot  
get so out & needs  
good nursing - We think  
she improves each day -  
With love from  
Old Howard.

Howard J. W.

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WAR DEPARTMENT.  
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE.

WASHINGTON November 4, 1891.

Dear General:

The reply to your letter of October 30th, in regard to the charges ~~of~~ <sup>against</sup> Major Throckmorton for drawing against a bank in which he had no deposit, has been inadvertently delayed. There was no mistake or oversight in omitting to call upon him for an explanation in that connection. The two sets of charges were referred to the Acting Judge Advocate General who advised that the charges preferred by Colonel Hughes be not brought to trial remarking that "The transaction on which they are based is shown to have been not criminal but careless and irregular merely, and the finding of a court-martial thereon would doubtless be guilty without criminality. They should therefore, in my opinion, be dropped."

The Secretary of War concurred in the opinion of the Acting Judge Advocate General in respect to these particular charges and therefore directed that the other charges only be sent to Major Throckmorton for any explanation which he might have to offer.

Very respectfully,

J. C. Kellogg  
Adjutant General.

Major General O. O. Howard,  
Governor's Island, New York.

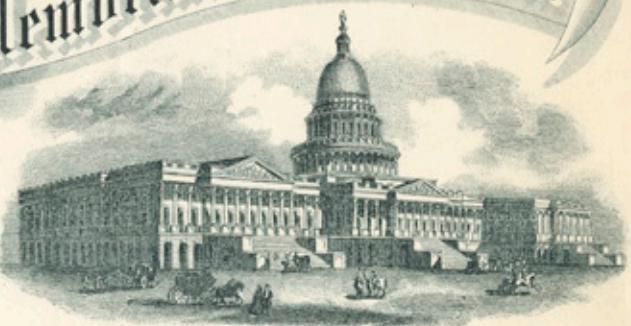
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# The UNION PRISONERS OF WAR National Memorial Association.

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*New York* Nov. 4, 1891

Genl. O. O. Howard,

Governor's Island, N. Y.

Dear Sir &amp; Comrade:

A meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Union Prisoners of War National Memorial Association, will be held at the residence of President A. T. Decker, No. 136 West 13th St., N. Y. City on Tuesday evening, November 10th 1891, at 8 o'clock.

The report of the Committee on Plan and Scope and other important business will be considered. You are earnestly requested to be present.

Very truly yours,

*J. L. Killgore*  
Secretary

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A meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Union Primary

convened at the hall of the Western Association of Teachers on

the 20th inst., at 8 o'clock A.M., T. A. Clark, Pres.

James H. Johnson, Secy., B. C. Dickey, Vice-Pres.

John C. Jones, Trustee, and George W. Young, Trustee.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Resolved, That we

New York County

Resolved,

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Monachee, Kittitas Co; Washington

Wednesday, November 4-1891. 10 A.M.

Major General O.O. Howard,  
Commanding Division of Atlantic,  
Governor's Islands - New York City.

General:

On the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of November A.D. 1891 - Sam C. Miller,  
the Guardian of the heirs of Franklin Gray, and myself - appeared  
before the U.S. District Land Office at Matherville, Douglas Co, Washington,  
and made correct Homestead filing for the Misses Mattie and Minnie  
Gray's parental home-lands - orchards and meadows, stolen by our  
E.G. Burch - now dead, - Six years ago - by timber culture applications -  
and legally contested and fought to final decision by Secretary of  
Interior - through you and my persistent, judicious vigilance.

Our work is now ended & our victory complete, and the home  
of the innocent orphan girls - representing two races of Americans  
and European castes of color - safely secured by the United States  
of America, through high official authority - administered most  
faithfully by the Patriots of both great National parties - and all done  
in strict accord with Truth, Justice and Home Rights.

It is now my duty to thank you for your assistance, and  
apprise you of the successful issue in the most patriotic act of  
your heroic life, and to name it the true General Marion Principle.  
I am neverd ever was - Trans. W. Streamer

Admiral  
now furnished  
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I raised a fine garden in the mountains this summer; have furnished the orphan children with vegetables free for all winter; besides, aiding a broken-down Confederate soldier from Georgia, to save him from starvation and secure him a home; for all of which, I have been most shamefully beggared, belied and betrayed. Still, I am not weary in well-doing; nor am I at all disengaged at the way the pearls have been cast on in the manner of their lustre diminished. The Sun still shines on me as surely as ever - and many who have opposed me now sleep the sleep that knows no awaking. I still live and enjoy the living.

I have provided the winter work for my protégés - and their orchards have borne the greatest of fruits - and the long, long drought is now ended. Elijah hath prayed to his God for rain - and all Washington State is drenched; rivers are rising - and the springs will be rejoiced with the nitrous glow of pure waters.

I am poor. I am patriotic. I am philanthropic. Brothers test the Spirit voices in the thought-utterances, and see whether they be of God or of man departed. Many are the estranged ones gone forth in the ainst battle against the children of Peace - and war on innocence for a selfish ambition - which no air surrounding will long maintain. I - Frank M. Stranier will do my duty daily as commanded in Air Vice only - and no longer obey inward thoughts. This letter is proof of my esteem for General Howard - who should answer kindly, sincerely - his friend - Frank

Shawnee Frank. M.

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98 Bible House, New York, 4 November 1891

GEN. JAS. GRANT WILSON, Editor.  
D. APPLETON & CO., Publishers.

Dear General

I should be pleased to  
remain with the life of Taylor and the article +  
for the Annorial History of New York, during  
the month of December

When you have made use of the we  
please return it, as it is a library book and  
I kindly let my son have it back to the  
military Service institution

Very truly yours

Jas. Grant Wilson

+ New York in the Revolution (1775-1783)  
about 20,000 words

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+ soldiers who fought for the Union  
gave their life for freedom + for  
the cause of freedom

and the people who won the war

just and justly + in time to come and

the people will remember the brave  
soldiers who died for their country

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North-West Branch of the Young Men's Christian Association  
1518 Columbia Avenue

EDWARD H. BONSALL, Chairman.  
RICHARD C. BETTS, Treasurer.  
CHARLES F. POWLISON, Secretary.

Philadelphia,

November 4<sup>th</sup> 1891

Gen. W. D. Howard,

My dear Sir:

On account of lack of room in our present quarters, we are holding our meetings for men only on Sunday afternoons from 4.30 to 5.30 in the various churches of North-West Philadelphia.

I write & ask if you will come and address one of these meetings. We will advertise thoroughly and can assure you of a good audience and there is no doubt but that you would do much good. We will, of course, pay your expenses and do what we can more than that if you so desire.

Sincerely hoping that you will

"Come over and help us" I am

p.s. Yours truly  
My date will suit except Nov. 22. Charles F. Powlison Secy.

*Acme*

North-West Branch of the Young Men's Christian Association

1218 Columbia Avenue

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— Document Room —  
United States Senate,

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov 5, 1871.

General O. O. Howard,  
Governor's Island, New York.

Sir:

In compliance with your request  
of 3<sup>d</sup> inst. I send herewith copies  
of the Senate and House bills for the  
relief of Henry C. De Ahna.

No action other than the ref-  
erence to the Committee was taken  
on either of these bills.

By the act of June 20, 1879,  
U. S. Stats, vol 21, page 521, Congress  
appropriated \$2,000 to Henry C. de Ahna  
for expenses incurred in trip to  
Alaska. I cite the act  
thinking it may be of service

to you.

Very respectfully  
Amzi Smith  
Superintendent

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1ST SESSION.

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Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States in Congress assembled, That Henry C. De Ahna, a citizen of the United States, residing at New York, New York, and engaged in business as a contractor, in the city of New York, has been injured in his right eye by a bullet shot from a pistol fired by James J. McNamee, a citizen of the United States, in the city of New York, on December 17, 1888, while engaged in a shooting match with another person, and has suffered great bodily injury and expense in consequence thereof, and is now disabled, and is unable to support himself, and is therefore entitled to compensation under the laws of the State of New York, and is entitled to a pension for his services in the military service of the United States, and is entitled to a gratuity of \$500, and is entitled to receive the sum of \$100 per month for the remainder of his natural life.

Approved, December 17, 1889.

Wm. McKinley,  
President.

Franklin D. Roosevelt,  
Secretary of State.

John G. Carlisle,  
Secretary of War.

William A. Calderhead,  
Secretary of the Navy.

James R. Blaine,  
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## JULIA A.

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Brooklyn, N. Y.,  
November 5, 1891.

Major-General O.O. Howard  
Governor's Island,  
N. Y.  
General:

I enclose a few lines entitled  
"The Stars of Gettysburg," as a  
tribute from Latitude, to North.

Respectfully,

Your obdt. servt.,  
J.W.D. Giese

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